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In re Application of:

Docket No. 03398.000006

YOUNGER Ahluwalia et al.

Application No.: 10/766,649

Examiner: Victor S. Chang

Filed: January 27, 2004

Group Art Unit: 1771

For: COMPOSITE MATERIALS

Date: December 15, 2006

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below

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| TOTAL CLAIMS | * | MINUS | ** | = | x \$25 \$50 | |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * | MINUS | *** | = | x \$100 \$200 | |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360 | | | | | | |
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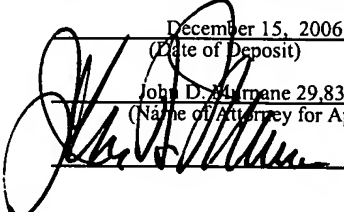
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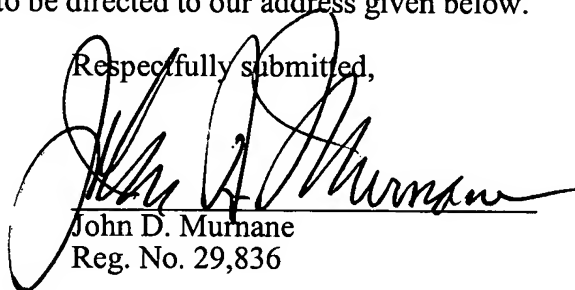
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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the fee for a _____ month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2006.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the interview with Applicants' attorneys on December 12, 2006. Please consider the following remarks, which include the issues discussed with the Examiner during the interview.

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